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| CLASSIFICATION <u>SECRET/CONTROL - U.S. OFFICIALS ONLY</u> | | SECURITY INFORMATION REPORT | |
| COUNTRY | <u>East Germany</u> | | |
| TOPIC | <u>Soviet Shipments</u> | | |
| EVALUATION | | PLACE OBTAINED | 50X1-HUM |
| DATE OF CONTENT | | | |
| DATE OBTAINED | | DATE PREPARED | 24 September 1953 |
| REFERENCES | | | |
| PAGES | 3 | ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE) | |
| REMARKS | | | |
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T - tank car

| Date in August 1953 | Number of Cars | From | To |
|---------------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| 28 | 29 | Halle | Brest Litovsk |
| 30 | 20 T | Boehlen | Khabinka |
| 31 | 45 | Schwarzenberg | Brest Litovsk |
| | 21 T | Buna | " |
| | 37 T | Troeglitz | Stettin |

2. Rail shipments dispatched from Troeglitz to Stettin included: 49 tank cars, and 55 cars, on 3 September and a train of 50 tank cars on 4 September.¹

3. The following shipments were observed at the Frankfurt/Oder marshaling yard between 26 and 31 August:

B - boxcar
F - flatcar
G - gondola cars
R - refrigerator car

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| Date in August | Number and Type of Cars | Load | From | To |
|----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| 26 | 56 G | empty | Frankfurt/Oder | Brest Litovsk |
| | 9 F | 9 M 13 rocket launchers | " | Cottbus 2 |

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| Date in August | Number and Type of Cars | Load | From | To |
|----------------|-------------------------|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 29 | 45 B and F | containers machinery sheet aluminum | Kahla Wismar Hettstedt | Brest Litovsk |
| | 53 B and F | machinery nitrogen cables | Magdeburg Piestertitz Berlin | " |
| 31 | 54 R | empty | Frankfurt/Oder | " |
| | 37 B and F | machinery parts cables | Magdeburg Berlin | " |
| | 4 F | heavy weapons VP escort personnel | Frankfurt/Oder | direction of Cottbus |

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4. [redacted] shipments between 24 August and 9 September:

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SS - heavy-duty flatcar

| Date | Number and Type of Cars | Load | From | To |
|-------------|-------------------------|---|----------------|----------------|
| 24 August | 50 B | potash | Grosskorbetha | Frankfurt/Oder |
| 25 " | 40 F | machinery parts | Leipzig | Brest Litovsk |
| 27 " | 20 R 7 F | new wheel sets | Coswig 3 | " |
| 1 September | 15 SS | crane parts | Leipzig | " |
| 3 " | 24 R | new | Coswig 3 | " |
| | 50 | machinery parts | Magdeburg | " |
| 6 " | 25 | 15 radio trucks boxes VP escort personnel | Leipzig | Pankow |
| 8 " | 21 T | gasoline | Grosskorbetha | " |
| 9 " | 12 F | machinery parts | Magdeburg | Frankfurt/Oder |
| | 42 | " | " | Brest Litovsk |
| | 50 | new trucks | Frankfurt/Oder | Falkenberg |

5. [redacted] a train consisting of 38 boxcars loaded with ammunition and 13 empty cars was dispatched from Frankfurt/Oder to Schoenebeck on 3 September.

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

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1.  Comment. Deliveries by East German hydrogenation plants to the USSR and Poland.
2.  Comment. This shipment was probably consigned to the 9th Meez Div.
3.  Comment. Newly manufactured refrigerator cars for the USSR. The wheel sets carried along will be used on these cars on the Soviet railroad net.

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